IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Shaomeng Wang et al.

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Proteins

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Examiner Hui:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed July 3, 2007, in the abovementioned application. The Applicants submit a two-month extension of time from October 10, 2007 to December 10, 2007.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper.

However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-4302.